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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

Supplemental to the response filed September 18, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please substitute the following amended claims for corresponding claims previously presented. A copy of the amended claims showing current revisions is attached.

- Step 22*  
*WT*
14. (Three times amended) A method of obtaining a preparation enriched for fibronectin or Factor VIII, the method comprising the following steps:-  
(i) adding an effective amount of a sulphated polysaccharide (SPS) to a fibrinogen containing solution to form a fibrinogen containing precipitate;